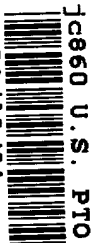


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Enclosed are the following papers, including all those required for a filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(b):

Pages of Specification	24
Pages of Claims	5
Pages of Abstract	1
Sheets of Formal Drawings	8
Pages of Declaration	5
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Applicant respectfully claims priority under 35 USC 119 to Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-78985 filed on March 21, 2000. The certified copy of this application is enclosed.

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